

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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STEPHEN J. TOPALIAN,

Plaintiff,

-against-

HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Defendant.
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Civil Action No.: 10-cv-1965 (KAM) (VVP)

**RULE 7.1 DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT**

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Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and to enable judges and magistrate judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel of record for defendant, HARTFORD LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, certifies that the following are corporate parents, subsidiaries, or affiliates of that party which are publicly held:

1. Hartford Life Group Insurance Company;
2. Hartford Life and Accident Insurance Company;
3. Hartford Life, Inc.;
4. Hartford Holdings, Inc.; and
5. The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc.

The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc. is a publicly traded corporation that has no parent corporation. No publicly held corporation currently owns 10% or more of its common stock. Allianz SE, a publicly held corporation that has no parent corporation, holds contingent rights to purchase more than 10% of the common stock of The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc.

Dated: New York, New York
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Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Michael H. Bernstein, hereby certify and affirm that a true and correct copy of the attached **ANSWER** (for Hartford Life Insurance Company) was served by **ECF and Regular Mail** on July 9, 2010, upon the following:

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